

**Urban Waters Federal Partnership
Lower Passaic River, NJ
Summary of Key Projects**

Project	Agency	Contact	Status
PR Newark Superfund sediment cleanup	EPA	Elizabeth Butler – butler.elizabeth@epa.gov	Phase 1 (40,000 cy of dredging) completed in 2012. Phase 2 not yet scheduled.
PR 8-mile Superfund cleanup study	EPA	Alice Yeh – yeh.alice@epa.gov	Cleanup proposal scheduled for 2013.
PR 17-mile Superfund study	EPA	Stephanie Vaughn – vaughn.stephanie@epa.gov	Study completion scheduled for 2015.
PR 17-mile Ecosystem Restoration Feasibility Study	USACE/NJDEP	Lisa Baron – lisa.a.baron@usace.army.mil	Draft Feasibility Study scheduled for 2014; Study completion scheduled for 2015
NB Estuary Natural Resource Damage Assessment	NOAA, USFWS	Reyhan Mehran – reyhan.mehran@noaa.gov Tim Kubiak – tim_kubiak@fws.gov	Assessment completion scheduled for 3 years after all remedial actions are completed.
PR Lyndhurst Superfund sediment cleanup (RM 10.9)	EPA	Stephanie Vaughn - vaughn.stephanie@epa.gov	Dredging completed in October 2013. Capping is ongoing.
Riverside Industrial Properties Superfund Site – Newark	EPA	Elizabeth Butler – butler.elizabeth@epa.gov	Start of study scheduled for end of 2013
PR Main Stem Flood Risk Management	USACE/NJDEP	Thomas Shea- Thomas.shea@usace.army.mil	Conceptual Phase of General Reevaluation Complete. Awaiting comments from NJDEP on draft preliminary alternatives analysis report prior to moving to Detailed Phase.
Passaic River Tidal Protection Area (Authorized but Unconstructed Project under Sandy Disaster Relief Act PL 113-2)	USACE/NJDEP	Thomas Shea- Thomas.shea@usace.army.mil	General Reevaluation underway.

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Joseph G. Minish Park creation – PR riverbank in Newark (Authorized Ongoing Construction Project under Sandy Disaster Relief Act PL 113-2)	USACE/NJDEP/ City of Newark	Alicia Gould- Alicia.Gould@usace.army.mil	Limited Reevaluation underway with expected 2014 completion
Lower Saddle River Limited Reevaluation Report (LRR)	USACE/NJDEP	Bob Greco- Robert.m.greco@usace.army.mil	Limited Reevaluation in progress. Localized contaminated sediments contributing to delay.
Newark combined sewer system improvements pursuant to EPA Compliance Order and Information Request	EPA	Larry Gaugler- Gaugler.larry@epa.gov	Specific projects which will be implemented currently being negotiated.
White Chemical Superfund Site – Newark	EPA	Ray Klimcsak – klimcsak.raymond@epa.gov	Completion of cleanup design plans scheduled for 2016.
Diamond Head Oil Superfund Site – Kearny	EPA	Grisell Diaz-Cotto – diaz-cotto.grisell@epa.gov	Completion of site-wide study and cleanup plans for source area scheduled for 2014.
Oversight of Clean Water Act Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) Permit Program	EPA	Stan Stephansen - stephansen.stanley@epa.gov	Ongoing. Issuance of new comprehensive CSO Permits expected to be issued to 6 individual CSO communities (East Newark, Harrison, Jersey City, Kearny, Newark, Paterson) and PVSC by 2015.
NY-NJ Harbor & Estuary Program Stewardship grants	EPA in partnership with the New England Interstate Water Pollution Control Commission	Robert Nyman - Nyman.robert@epa.gov	No current grants, but over \$100,000 applied to about 10 projects over the past 10 years in the Passaic area.
Various City of Newark Brownfields Sites	EPA	John Struble – struble.john@epa.gov	Multiple projects ranging from assessments to cleanups.